



MAJOR INCIDENT REPORT

A SPECIAL REPORT FROM LOS ANGELES COUNTY FIRE CHIEF DARYL L. OSBY

TYPE OF INCIDENT:

Out of County Assistance to CalFIRE

DATE AND TIME OF OCCURRENCE:

July 6, 2013, 12:55 p.m.

INCIDENT SUMMARY:

Chariot Incident: On Saturday, July 6, 2013, at 12:55 p.m., CalFIRE received a report of a brush fire in the area of Chariot Canyon Road and Oriflamme Canyon Road in the community of Julian in San Diego County. Due to heavy winds, this fire was moving rapidly in a southerly direction. We received a request for assistance from CalFIRE at 2:55 p.m. on Sunday, July 7, 2013. We deployed four camp crews strike teams (consisting of two crews and one superintendent each), three trainees, one fire captain, one fire behavioral analyst, one facility unit leader, one support dispatcher, and one battalion chief. Currently, CalFIRE is reporting 2,500 acres burned with 20 percent containment, and approximately 120 structures threatened. A total of 1,171 firefighters are battling this blaze, with no estimated date of containment. There is currently no fire involvement in Los Angeles County.

TYPE OF INCIDENT:

Out of County Assistance to Kern County

DATE AND TIME OF OCCURRENCE:

July 7, 2013, 3:15 p.m.

INCIDENT SUMMARY:

Lebec Incident: On Sunday, July 7, 2013, at 3:15 p.m., two spot fires were reported near the 5 Freeway and Lebec Road in Kern County. This incident quickly escalated and was upgraded to a brush fire. At 5:13 p.m., we received a request for assistance from the Kern County Fire Department. We deployed one camp crew strike team; consisting of two crews, one superintendent, and one battalion chief. Currently, Kern County is reporting 300 acres burned with 100 percent containment. Our units remain on scene assisting with mop up procedures. There is currently no fire involvement in Los Angeles County.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE AT (323) 881-6180